



RESOLUTION 21-381

**Resolution of the Mayor and Council of Princeton Authorizing
Contract for Mass Notification System with Everbridge, Not to Exceed
\$10,500 Per Year for a Five Year Contract**

WHEREAS, the municipality of Princeton desires to maintain the services of a communications software vendor for purposes of providing mass public notifications about emergent issues on multiple platforms; and

WHEREAS, Princeton is currently under contract with Everbridge, Inc. to provide said services, which include Nixle and Smart Weather Alerting; and

WHEREAS, the contract with Everbridge will expire on December 27, 2021; and

WHEREAS, Everbridge, Inc. has provided a new proposal to Princeton for software services to enable mass public notifications for the not to exceed contract amount of \$52,500.00 for a five (5) year contract; and

WHEREAS, Princeton has a need to acquire these services without a “fair and open process” as defined by P.L. 2004, c.19, the “Local Unit Pay-to-Play Law” and in connection therewith, Everbridge, Inc. has completed and filed with Princeton the required Campaign Contributions Affidavit pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.8, Certification Regarding Political Contributions pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26 and affidavit pursuant section 2-87 of the Princeton Code (collectively, the “Pay-to-Play Forms”); and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that sufficient funds are available in account 01-201-20-125-233 to pay for said services; and

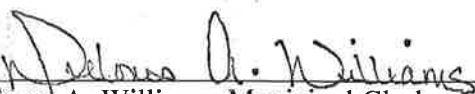
WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i), authorizes Princeton to award this agreement as a professional services agreement, without public bidding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Municipality of Princeton, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement with Everbridge, Inc., of Pasadena, California for software services to enable mass notifications, consistent with this Resolution and the above "Whereas" clauses.
2. The agreement is awarded without competitive bidding as a professional services agreement as authorized under *N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i)*.
3. Everbridge Inc. shall be paid a fee not to exceed \$52,500.00, \$10,500 per year for the term of the agreement shall be five (5) years.
4. A copy of this Resolution, the Pay-to-Play Forms and the agreement shall be placed on file in the Office of the Clerk.
5. A notice of this action shall be published in the official newspaper as required by law.

Councilperson	Absent	Present	1 st	2 nd	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Disqualified
Mr. Cohen		X			X			
Ms. Fraga		X	X		X			
Ms. Niedergang		X			X			
Ms. Pirone Lambros		X			X			
Ms. Sacks		X		X	X			
Mr. Williamson		X			X			
Mayor Freda		X						

I, Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk of Princeton, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council of Princeton at a meeting held December 13, 2021.


 Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk